

House File 573

H-1071

Amend House File 573 as follows:

1. Page 1, after line 11 by inserting:

<d. That the woman has been offered the opportunity for preabortion and postabortion counseling from a licensed mental health professional as defined in section 228.1.>

2. Page 1, after line 15 by inserting:

<Sec. \_\_\_\_ . **NEW SECTION. 514C.30 Coverage for preabortion and postabortion counseling provided by a licensed mental health professional.**

1. A contract, policy, or plan providing for third-party payment or prepayment of health or medical expenses shall provide coverage benefits for all preabortion and postabortion counseling provided by a licensed mental health professional as defined in section 228.1, including but not limited to the following classes of third-party payment provider contracts, policies, or plans delivered, issued for delivery, continued, or renewed in this state on or after July 1, 2015:

a. Individual or group accident and sickness insurance providing coverage on an expense-incurred basis.

b. An individual or group hospital or medical service contract issued pursuant to chapter 509, 514, or 514A.

c. An individual or group health maintenance organization contract regulated under chapter 514B.

d. An individual or group Medicare supplemental policy, unless coverage pursuant to such policy is preempted by federal law.

e. A plan established pursuant to chapter 509A for public employees.

2. This section shall not apply to accident-only, specified disease, short-term hospital or medical, hospital confinement indemnity, credit, dental, vision, long-term care, basic hospital and medical-surgical expense coverage as defined by the commissioner, disability income insurance coverage, coverage issued as a supplement to liability insurance, workers' compensation or similar insurance, or automobile medical payment insurance.

3. The commissioner of insurance shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter 17A as necessary to administer this section.>

3. Title page, line 2, after <abortion> by inserting <and providing for third-party coverage for the preabortion and postabortion counseling>

4. By renumbering as necessary.

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